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device will move to its deenergized por-

### §236.792 Reservoir, equalizing.

An air reservoir connected with and adding volume to the top portion of the equalizing piston chamber of the automatic brake valve, to provide uniform service reductions in brake pipe pressure regardless of the length of the train.

CROSS REFERENCE: Rocker, see §236.755.

#### § 236.793 Rod, lock.

A rod, attached to the front rod or lug of a switch, movable-point frog or derail, through which a locking plunger may extend when the switch points or derail are in the normal or reverse position.

### §236.794 Rod, up-and-down.

A rod used for connecting the semaphore arm to the operating mechanism of a signal.

### § 236.795 Route.

The course or way which is, or is to be, traveled.

### § 236.796 Routes, conflicting.

Two or more routes, opposing, converging or intersecting, over which movements cannot be made simultaneously without possibility of collision.

### §236.797 Route, interlocked.

A route within interlocking limits.

## § 236.798 Section, dead.

A section of track, either within a track circuit or between two track circuits, the rails of which are not part of a track circuit.

# § 236.799 Section, fouling.

The section of track between the switch points and the clearance point in a turnout.

### §236.800 Sheet, locking.

A description in tabular form of the locking operations in an interlocking machine.

## § 236.801 Shoe, latch.

The casting by means of which the latch rod and the latch block are held to a lever of a mechanical interlocking machine.

#### § 236.802 Shunt.

A by-path in an electrical circuit.

#### §236.802a Siding.

An auxiliary track for meeting or passing trains.

### §236.803 Signal, approach.

A roadway signal used to govern the approach to another signal and if operative so controlled that its indication furnishes advance information of the indication of the next signal.

## §236.804 Signal, block.

A roadway signal operated either automatically or manually at the entrance to a block.

#### § 236.805 Signal, cab.

A signal located in engineman's compartment or cab, indicating a condition affecting the movement of a train and used in conjunction with interlocking signals and in conjunction with or in lieu of block signals.

### § 236.806 Signal, home.

A roadway signal at the entrance to a route or block to govern trains in entering and using that route or block.

## §236.807 Signal, interlocking.

A roadway signal which governs movements into or within interlocking limits

#### §236.808 Signals, opposing.

Roadway signals which govern movements in opposite directions on the same track.

## § 236.809 Signal, slotted mechanical.

A mechanically operated signal with an electromagnetic device inserted in its operating connection to provide a means of controlling the signal electrically, as well as mechanically.